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Serial No.: 10/002,964 Filing Date: November 2, 2001  
Examiner: Devon C. Kramer Group Art Unit: 3683  
Invention: "HYDROSTATIC AXIAL PISTON MACHINE WITH A SWASHPLATE DESIGN"  
Transmitted herewith is a Response in the above-identified application.

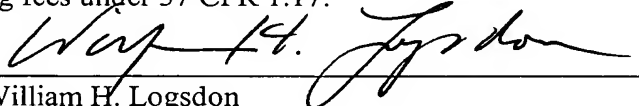
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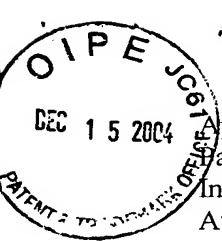
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 11, 2004, Applicant submits the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time and the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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